

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 2009**, upon the application of **EL PASO E&P COMPANY, LP.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston A Zone, the Hosston B Zone and the Hosston C Zone**, in the Bryceland Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Ray Oden No. 1 Well as an additional alternate unit well for HOSS A SUI, HOSS B SUC and for HOSS C SUO at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application.
2. To find that the proposed well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the hydrocarbons underlying the units on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within these units.
3. To permit the Operator to produce the allowables assigned to these units from either the unit well, from any alternate unit well, or from any existing well within these units.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston A Zone was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 145-B, effective December 9, 1971, was redefined as to HOSS A SUI by Order No. 145-B-11, effective July 31, 1990, and was further redefined as to HOSS A SUI by Order No. 145-B-81, effective July 22, 2008.

The Hosston B Zone was defined in Order No. 145-A, effective June 1, 1971.

The Hosston C Zone was defined in Order No. 145-B, effective December 9, 1971 and was further defined in Order No. 145-B-13, effective December 5, 1990.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.
www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

12/18/08;12/23/08

S

lck

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.